

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE**

**RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2198
TO BE ANSWERED ON 08TH AUGUST, 2023**

CAPPING OF RATES FOR TREATMENTS AND SURGERIES

2198. SHRI SANJEEV ARORA:

Will the Minister of **HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE** be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the rates of all treatments and surgeries have been capped by Government;
- (b) if so, the details of the rates prescribed by Government and;
- (c) if so, whether these rates are applicable on all hospitals including corporate hospitals?

ANSWER

**THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND
FAMILY WELFARE
(PROF. S. P. SINGH BAGHEL)**

(a) to (c): Ayushman Bharat - Pradhan Mantri Jan Arogya Yojana (AB-PMJAY) provides treatment corresponding to a total of 1,949 procedures under 27 different specialties including oncology, cardiology, general medicine etc. Over the course of scheme implementation, the procedures and prices under “Health Benefit Package” have been revised and rationalized. Flexibility is provided to States/UTs to add State specific packages over & above national Health Benefit Package master. In addition, flexibility is provided to States/UTs to change the cost of the package as per the local requirement.

The details of procedures / packages and their rates as per Health Benefit Package 2022 are available at the following link:

<https://pmjay.gov.in/sites/default/files/2022-04/HBP%202022%20..pdf>

All Empanelled Health Care Providers (EHCPs), including corporate hospitals, are paid based on specified packages with standardized rates under “Health Benefit Package (HBP)”.
